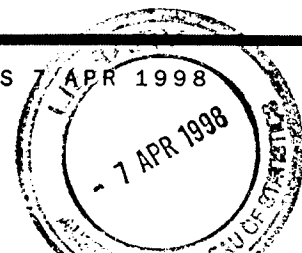




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6301.7	<p><i>Work-Related Injuries and Illnesses, Northern Territory, October 1997</i> (\$15.00)</p> <p>Contains the following information about people aged 15-69 living in urban areas of the Northern Territory who worked for any time in the 12 months to 30 September 1997: the incidence of work-related injuries and illnesses; awareness of workers compensation eligibility; use of workers compensation to treat injury or illness, including reasons for not applying; and use of other assistance (e.g. Medicare) to treat injury or illness.</p>
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8125.0	<p><i>Indexes of Industrial Production, Australia, December Quarter 1997</i> (\$15.50)</p> <p>Alternative sources for the data: Data in index form are in Cat. no. 1350.0 and in PC AUSSTATS.</p> <p>Estimates from which the indexes are compiled are published in Tables 54-56 of Cat. no. 5206.0.</p>
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